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Dear Harold;

Glad to receive yurrfollow up letter on the new condition that concerned you and that the Dr. seemd to reassure you about it.

I have held off writing until now because I was waiting for your Defenestration outline. I just received it. It was postmarked Frederick Aug. 23rd and I got it from the mailman Sept. 7. Do you think someone read it on the way here? I saved the envelope. You refer to a copy of a letter to Abby Mann that you sent to me I don't recall reading it and going back thru your letters and carbons to me I haven't come across it. I showed your letter to me about LANE, Freed and Mann to Vane's son and he read it. His father hasn't been out here because of his wifes recent illness. I am giving him a xerox of it to mail back east. In your letter of today, carbon to Les Whitten you mention the Mann show being done for NBC not ABC, unless I misunderstood. I spoke to the man that I gave a copy of "Frameup!" He read it and thought it very interesting and informative. He has a friend reading it. Right now he is in the middle of another project, but wants me to keep in touch. Sorry I am rambling but I too have been working hard the past few weeks and haven't been able to get enough sleep. Am enclosing a copy of an article I came across in Argosy Magazine. Does it make any sense? I am sure you know people involved and author. Also a copy of the Playboy article on Hughs. Strangely, a producer I worked for in 1958 phone me(haven't seen him in 12 yrs.)and has a script he wants to rush into prod. about Hughes. Producer lived at Bel Air Hotel from 67' for 8 yrs. and knew Maheu anda lot of the Hughes people including his woman secretary, Nadine Henly(he is still in contact with her). His theory is that HH died in 1966 and was frozen. Maheu with the M and HH money bought the Vegas hotels. HH thought he was buying land and mine claims. HH found out and thus the break up. Also an exactHH double was used by Maheu. The body was HH thawed out. Quieh sabe?

Please my best to Lil! also Jim

Best, Paul